

MANY CHANGES IN DIPLOMATIC CORPS PRESIDENT'S PLAN

Wilson Contemplates Reorganization Owing to Part Foreign Affairs Will Play in Administration.

Washington, Nov. 16.—In accordance with custom in the diplomatic service, all American ambassadors and ministers abroad are expected to resign as a sequence to President Wilson's re-election and succession to a new term of office.

Many of them were appointed originally without special knowledge on their part of the peculiar requirements of their posts. Some had no intention of remaining abroad more than one term of four years. In other cases, some who expected to make even shorter stays abroad have from force of circumstances, especially the exigencies of the present war, continued at their posts only to meet the wishes of the state department.

Foreign policies will engross a large part of President Wilson's attention in the immediate future, to an extent never contemplated when he first assumed office. It is regarded as essential that in the development of the larger plans of the administration in foreign intercourse, the president should have specially selected ambassadors and ministers to meet the demands in each case.

Fortunately the practice which has become general in the American diplomatic service since President Roosevelt frankly requested the resignations of all the ambassadors and ministers, will afford President Wilson the necessary opportunity to carry out plans he has projected, involving a very considerable reorganization of the diplomatic service, so far as the heads are concerned.

ASK THAT ENGLAND BE DRY

Motion For Prohibition Will Be Made in Commons.

London, Nov. 16.—A motion that the manufacture of intoxicating liquor in Great Britain should be prohibited will be made in the House of Commons, according to notice given by a group of members after the speech last night of Walter Runciman, president of the board of trade, on the food situation.

The members of the group, their notice said, will move that prohibition should be imposed in view of Mr. Runciman's grave statement respecting the shortage of corn, sugar and other food stuffs.

TURKEY FOR 150,000 MEN

Washington, Nov. 16.—Turkeys and "trimmings" for 150,000 men are being bought by the war department the chief commissary office of the southern department, for the Thanksgiving dinner of the soldiers along the border in Mexico.

A war department announcement today said every precaution to provide the troops with fitting feasts Thanksgiving and Christmas was being made that not a man among the militia and regular troops would be unprovided.

HUGHES' LEAD NOW 425

IN STATE OF MINNESOTA

St. Paul, Nov. 16.—Charles E. Hughes' lead in Minnesota stood tonight at 425. With fifty-seven counties tabulations sheets recorded at the state house and unofficial records from the remaining twenty-nine the total Wilson vote was 178,813 to a Hughes vote of 179,238. Hennepin and Ramsey counties' returns show only slight changes.

NORTHERN PACIFIC

RAISES SALARIES

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—The Northern Pacific Railroad Company today announced a 5 per cent increase in the salaries of its employees who receive less than \$200 per month, effective for the current month's pay checks.

Increased earnings of the company, coupled with the increased cost of living, was given as the reason for the raise.

ROOSEVELT HAS

NOTHING TO SAY

New York, Nov. 16.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt was in town today for the first time since election. At the Hotel Langdon he received callers, who, the colonel smilingly admitted, were on his political visiting list. The colonel declined to comment on the defeat of Charles E. Hughes or to discuss his future plans.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to heartily thank our many kind and thoughtful friends and neighbors for their help during the sickness and for the beautiful floral offerings after the death of my darling wife, Ella.

EDGAR JACKSON.

Political magnates of the eastern states will please note the fact that there are people living west of the Mississippi who are so independent they refuse to be controlled or dictated to by the money powers of the country.—Lewis, Iowa, Standard.

GERMANS HAVE TAKEN 300,000 FROM BELGIUM

As many More Are to Be Deported, London Is Informed—Feuton Commander Finest Council.

London, Nov. 17.—Thirty thousand Belgians already have been deported to Germany, according to information received here through official channels.

Reports from the same sources say that the Germans plan to take some 300,000, judging from the order issued in a number of cities for all males over seventeen to report for inspection.

The municipal council of Tournai has formally declined to accede to the German demand, the reports say, protesting that hitherto it had acquiesced to all German orders. General Hoffer thereupon imposed a fine of 200,000 marks, it is added, for the refusal of the council to furnish a list of male inhabitants, with a further fine of 20,000 marks daily as long as the council refused to give the list.

A circumstantial report from the Mons district says that the entire male population over seventeen was summoned to report at German headquarters at 8 o'clock on the morning of October 26. The monks, professors, teachers, local officials, members of the food committee and the physically defective were dismissed, but it is added, 1,200 men, comprising 20 per cent of the eligible males, both employed and unemployed, were selected and immediately placed on cattle trucks and started for Germany.

THOMAS JOSEPH MANSFIELD

Funeral services for Thomas Joseph Mansfield, who died suddenly, Wednesday, November 15, were held at St. Lawrence Catholic church, Friday morning, November 17, by the pastor, the Rev. Father Kilkenny. The pall bearers were Gus Carey, Joe Martin, James Amber, Clem Koenig, Tom Dewine and Emmet O'Dwyer. A large assembly of sorrowing friends and relatives were present. The body was laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery.

Tom was the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mansfield, of Monett. He was born here August 5, 1891 and lived here all his life. After finishing school he went to work as brakeman for the Frisco. He became afflicted with valvular heart trouble and had worked but little the last year. He had seemed better the week before his death and the morning before he died he ate breakfast with the family. He was seized with sudden pain in his head, became in a few minutes unconscious and died about 2 o'clock.

His death makes a break in a happy family which cannot be mended. He is survived by his parents and three brothers and three sisters.

Relatives who came here to attend the funeral were M. R. Mansfield, Indianapolis, Ind.; James Gaynor, Springfield; Mrs. Ella Higgins, Pittsburg, Kan.; Mrs. V. T. Boaz, of Girard, Kan.; Mrs. Nora Gainer, Pittsburg, Kan.; Mrs. Roy Beatty, Seneca; Mrs. John Geise and Leonard Mansfield, of Joplin and Miss Della Mansfield, who has been attending school at Bowling Green, Ky.

ANNA IRENE GOODMAN

Anna Irene Goodman, daughter of Mrs. Rosetta Goodman, died at their home on East Broadway, Friday afternoon, November 17. Her death was caused by a complication of typhoid fever and pneumonia.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at 2 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. A. Todd, pastor of the church.

Anna was born in Pulaski, county, Missouri, July 5, 1898. She was the oldest of four children, the others being Eva, Marie and Raymond. She worked at the cigar factory and was the main dependence of her mother, who is a widow. She was an attractive girl and popular with her companions.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Wm. D. WhitneyJoplin
Anna LockethGoodman
C. R. TrollopeRacine
Easter BartlowRacine
Elmer W. KleinsorgeWebb City
Beulah A. ShawgoWebb City
Wm. R. NortonSchell City
Anna S. KirklandSchell City
H. HaggardJoplin
Lucy FoustJoplin
Harry T. NewmanJoplin
Lulu PalmerJoplin
James PitneyJoplin
Amanda McLainJoplin

NOW LOOKOUT

When a cold hangs on as often happens or when you have hardly gotten over one cold before you contract another, lookout for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This succession of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are much more liable to contract chronic catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

PUT ROADS ON THE DEFENSIVE?

Government May Bring Action to Force Observance of Adamson Law.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The administration is ready to start an aggressive fight in behalf of the Adamson Law, the object of concerted attack by most of the big railroads of the country, it was made clear today. Belief was expressed by high officials that the efforts to enjoin the operation of the law would fail.

It was suggested that the government might not confine its efforts to defensive tactics, if the hope of the railroads to prevent the operation of the law should appear likely to realization. If the railroads tie up the enforcement of the Adamson Act, the railroad workers are expected to strike. It is the view of some of the President's advisers that the courts would hold the railroads responsible for interference with interstate commerce in such case and would compel them to abide by the provisions of the act.

This belief is strengthened by the administration claim that the Adamson Law primarily is a measure designed to obtain a thorough and scientific investigation of facts on which to base final legislation. It is to be effective only six months, during the time of the investigation of the application of the 8-hour day. It can be extended only thirty days at the request of the special commission appointed under it. By reason of the very nature of the act, administration train men are convinced, efforts to enjoin its operation will fail.

On the other hand it is believed it may be possible to enjoin "interference" by the railroads with interstate traffic, as labor leaders were enjoined in the Pullman strike of twenty years ago.

GREEN COUNTY WILL

ASK ELECTION ON LOCAL OPTION QUESTION

The determination to circulate petitions calling for an election in Green county on the local option question within the next 60 days was reached last night at a called meeting of representative business and professional men, held in the office of the Springfield court of appeals in the Woodruff building. About 40 men attended the meeting.

The work of circulating the petitions will be started in the near future, the Rev. A. M. Livingston, district superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, stated last night. It is hoped to have the petitions ready for presentation within the next three weeks.

A big mass meeting to perfect the organization of the dry forces for the campaign will be held at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon at the Greene county court house.

Attorney Perry T. Allen presided over the meeting last night and short talks were made by nearly all of those present.—Springfield Republican.

ENTERTAINED AT

QUAIL DINNER

Floyd Callaway entertained a few friends at a 6 o'clock quail dinner Friday. A four course dinner was served to the following guests: Misses Myrtle White, Helen Lehnhard, Margaret Edgar, Josie Cassidy, Agnes Hubert, Mildred Callaway, and Evadna Price, of Fayetteville, Ark.; Sarrol Cox, George Sheehan, Carl Saxe, Fred Gibbons, Floyd Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Callaway.

The latter part of the evening was spent in music and dancing.

SUFFERER FROM IN-

DIGESTION RELIEVED

"Before taking Chamberlain's Tablets my husband suffered for several years from indigestion, causing him to have pains in the stomach and distress after eating. Chamberlain's Tablets relieved him of these spells right away," writes Mrs. Thomas Casey, Geneva, N. Y.—Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

LAWRENCE SHAFFER SET-

TLES FOR \$4600.00

On Thursday Attorney F. P. Sizer settled with chief Claim Agent Mansfield the case of Lawrence Shaffer vs Missouri Pacific Railway Co., for \$4600.00, for the loss of four fingers. This suit was pending in the Pettis County Circuit court and was for trial at the December term of that court.

OKLAHOMA MINES OPENING

One of our coal dealers, Thursday, received word from the coal district at Henryetta, Ok., that the miners had returned to work after their strike and that they believed they could now fill their orders for coal.

This was quite a relief to the coal dealers as the coal situation was becoming serious, and a coal famine was imminent.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to hereby express our thanks to our friends for their kindness, sympathy and offerings of flowers at the death of our son and brother, Thomas Joseph Mansfield. THOMAS MANSFIELD and FAMILY

SIMPLE HOME WEDDING

THURSDAY NIGHT

There was a simple home wedding at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green, Thursday evening, November 16, when Miss Edna Green was married to John Farrow.

The ceremony was performed by the Reverend W. A. Todd, pastor of the Baptist church, at 7 o'clock. The attendants were Mrs. Bert Sawyer, of Fort Smith, Ark., an intimate friend of the bride, and Robert Ellis, of Monett. The bride wore a blue tailored suit.

The only witnesses to the marriage were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sawyer, of Fort Smith, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellis, Mrs. J. S. Farrow, Miss Ruth Farrow, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrow are keeping house in the Cleave Boles bungalow on Sixth street.

The bride is the popular and warlike daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green. Mr. Farrow, the son of Mrs. J. S. Farrow, is a Frisco machinist and known for his splendid manhood. They have the best wishes of all Monett people.

MARRIED IN OWN HOME

The wedding of Miss Madeline McCracken and Martin Poznak took place in their own home on Eighth street at 6 o'clock Thursday evening, as was stated in the Daily Times.

No one was present except the officiating minister, Rev. A. M. King, and Miss Madeline and Lloyd and William Adams as witnesses.

The bride held a position with the Missouri-Kansas Telephone Company up to the time of her marriage. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. McCracken, well liked and respected by all who know her. The bridegroom is a Frisco employee and known as a model young man.

They began housekeeping immediately.

P. E. O. SOCIETY MEETS

Mrs. O. O. Otterman entertained the P. E. O. Chapter at their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon.

The lesson study was "Shakespeare and the Stage." This is the last of the series of lessons on the life of Shakespeare and they will now begin the study of the plays.

There were present at this meeting Mrs. C. E. Woodruff, Mrs. Solon Wright, Mrs. F. M. Shriver, Mrs. F. P. Sizer, Mrs. H. A. Gardner, Mrs. O. O. Otterman, Mrs. J. F. King and Mrs. D. A. Peters. Mrs. Otterman served a two course lunch.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Peters.

AUCTION BRIDGE

CLUB ENTERTAIN

Miss Ozene Wagner entertained the Auction Bridge club, Thursday afternoon. The club prize was won by Mrs. Harry Smedley and Mrs. J. W. Patterson received the guest prize. A dainty one course luncheon was served.

Those who were present were Mrs. Harry Smedley, Mrs. T. D. Steele, Mrs. E. W. Pfau, Mrs. E. F. Saxe, Mrs. Louis Tucker, Mrs. Charles Frear, Mrs. Walter Perry, Mrs. Harry Davies, Mrs. A. Cole, Mrs. George Morrow, Mrs. J. W. Patterson and Miss Margaret Edgar.

BABY'S FUNERAL

Funeral service for Gertrude Agatha, grandchild of Mrs. J. J. Perry, was held at the St. Lawrence church at 3 o'clock, Friday afternoon.

The child was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Williams and was born January 6, 1915. Her mother died in childbirth and Mrs. J. J. Perry, the grandmother, adopted the baby and cared for her as her own. She was a beautiful bright little girl and her death is a sad blow to the devoted grandmother.

She was laid to rest beside the mother at the Catholic cemetery.

A CHARITABLE ACT

There was, during the recent cold snap, a destitute family camped on the Callan land east of town. The children had no shoes or stockings and very scanty clothing. Their wagon afforded little shelter and they were in a pitiable condition.

The railroad boys took up a collection and secured clothing and food for them to make them more comfortable until they could reach their destination.

LITTLE SON OF GROVER

BURCH DIES

John, the little two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burch, died at the home of B. W. Lamb, early Friday morning. He had been sick several weeks with typhoid fever and a few days ago it was found that he had pneumonia.

The family has lived here just a short time, having moved here from near Jenkins.

Funeral services were held at the home of B. W. Lamb Friday afternoon, and interment was made in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

Mrs. Pete Exposito was shopping here, Saturday.

Miss Ethel Davis is visiting friends

in Mount Vernon.

Clifford Strain visited in Springfield over Sunday.

Miss Veronica Sullivan went to Mount Vernon, Sunday.

Charles Howell, of Vinita, Ok., visited relatives here, Sunday.

Ira Duval, of Wentworth, was in town, Monday.

Misses Essie King and Gussie Huffman spent Sunday in Carthage.

A. C. Wilhelm of Exeter was in town Monday.

Mr. James Johnston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Carney at Nevada.

"Happy" Wilhelm, who has been ill with typhoid fever at the home of his parents at Exeter, is improving.

Miss Elizabeth Harmon and her cousin, Mrs. Clyde Baird, visited in Springfield, Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Reed, of Cassville, who had been visiting Mrs. S. T. Clutter, returned home Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson, of Kings Prairie, were in town, Saturday.

Mrs. M. White, of Wallace, Idaho, is visiting Mrs. M. C. Shipley. She will go from here to St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Osborn returned home, Friday morning, from Springfield.

Harold Lane's condition is about the same today as yesterday. No notable improvement.

Oliver Planchon, Milton and Frank, in Combs motored to Springfield, Sunday.

Mrs. D. R. Bessler is ill with typhoid fever. Miss Mary Withana, a trained nurse of Springfield, is caring for her.

Misses Pearl Vermillion and Hope Walker visited Saturday and Sunday with Madeline Culley in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wainwright and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wainwright motored to McDowell and Cassville, Sunday.

Mrs. Gus Burkhardt and son Arthur returned from a visit at Springfield, Sunday.

D. Wilkerson has gone to Fort Smith, Ark., to visit his son, John T. Wilkerson and wife.

Mrs. Sam Rittenhouse returned home, Saturday evening, from a visit at Joplin.

C. T. Hines, of Carthage, are buyer for the U. S. Smelting Company, visited friends here, Sunday.

Miss Grace Heyburn has returned from a visit with Miss Pearl Heyburn at Pittsburg, Kan.

Mrs. M. E. Loutzenhiser and Miss Vera Boynton came home from St. Louis, Saturday night.

Mrs. Hattie McPherson visited her sister, T. J. Massie, at Neosho, Sunday.

Mrs. Lillie Bledsoe has returned to her home at Seligman, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Gilbert.

Mrs. Elwood Ash and grandson, Willie Ash have returned from a visit at Joplin.

Miss Lois Wainwright, of McDowell, who has an attack of typhoid fever, is getting along nicely.

Miss Evadna Price will return to her home at Fayetteville, Ark., today, after a visit with Mrs. W. W. Lehnhard and Miss Helen Lehnhard.

Mrs. Zeph Johnson and two children of Rogers, Ark., have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dorris.

Mrs. McReynolds, of Peirce City, visited over Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Sooter. She returned home, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehnhard, Miss Helen Lehnhard, Miss Evadna Price, of Fayetteville, Ark., and Charles Peterson, of Springfield, motored to Joplin and Neosho, Sunday.

Mrs. W. F. Lehnhard, of Butler, who has been visiting friends at Monett and Cassville, left, Monday morning, for a visit with her sister at Webb City.

Miss Una Centers, Harold Hatler and Gerald Watson returned to Neosho, Sunday night, after a visit with Miss Dorothy Morrow.

Miss Koontz, of Scammon, Kan., visited her brother, H. H. Koontz, Sunday, returning home, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Tracy, their daughter, Goldie, Mr. Tracy's mother and Mrs. G. W. Stapleton of Seligman, motored to Peirce City Friday.

R. W. Garrett, of St. Louis, was in town, Friday, and sold some Howe scales to J. L. Jeffries for use at his coal yard.

Mrs. N. H. Tracy's sister, Mrs. G. W. Stapleton and their niece, Miss Lena Osborne of Seligman, Mo., are visiting in Monett.

Mrs. Leroy Jeffries and daughter, Letha, and Lelah, of Cassville, were called here by the death of their niece and cousin, Miss Anna Goodman.

J. W. Bingham, passenger brakeman, went to work, Saturday, after a month's lay-off on account of his wife's illness.

Mrs. Fortune returned from Springfield, Thursday evening, having been called to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. M. Handy, who was operated on at the Springfield Hospital, Sunday. Mrs. Handy being no better, Mrs. Fortune will return to Springfield, Saturday morning.

E. D. Levy, general manager of the

Frisco, was in town, Sunday.

W. E. Coffin is laid up with a sprained ankle.

Miss Mae Williams, of Purdy, was in town, Monday.

Aniel Vogt has been worse since last Friday.

Sig Solomon made a business trip to Joplin, Monday.

Mrs. Barney Bush, of Cassville, was shopping here, Monday.

E. E. Riggs, who has typhoid fever, was taken worse, Sunday. Miss White is nursing him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Watts, Ok., are visiting F. C. Williams and family.

Preston Brown, who sprained his knee last Wednesday, is getting along nicely, but is unable to work.

Mrs. M. J. Hanby, who was operated upon at the Springfield hospital a short time ago for appendicitis, has returned home.

Leo Hutchens, Mrs. Fannie Black, Mrs. Hutchens and Mrs. Ben Johnson, of Cassville, motored to Monett, Monday.

Harold Hatler, Miss Una Centers and Gerald Watson, of Neosho, will spend Sunday with Miss Dorothy Morrow.

Mrs. Marie Sanders, of Springfield, is visiting Mrs. C. H. Ring. She has some beautiful handpainted china, her own work, which she will exhibit at Cox's drug store.

Mrs. L. R. Baum and daughter Fay returned home, Saturday morning, from Merkel, Tex., where they visited Mrs. Golden Cyport, Mrs. Baum's sister.

Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Trambower entertained Thursday evening at 7 o'clock dinner, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wainwright and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wainwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cassidy motored down from Phelps, Friday morning, and Mrs. E. C. Wilson and baby of Ada, Ok., went home with them for a visit.

F. N. Reese, Benton Robbins and Leroy Jeffries, of Cassville, Lawson Jeffries and Lester Howell went to Ritchey, Monday for a few days' hunting.

A newspaper man over in Jewell county, Kan., has made the discovery that a married pair there has not only spoiled their children but are now engaged in spoiling their pup.

Herman Van Hook has returned from Kansas City, where he was called by the injury to his brother, Julian, who was in the elevator accident there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hudson, and Misses Sadie and Agnes, Johnston and Mamie Counts motored to Carthage Monday. From there Hudson went to Nevada, to visit her sister, Mrs. Carney.

Mrs. M. L. Crawford and son Lewis, who have been visiting in Arkansas City, will arrive tonight for a short visit with Mrs. George, Morrow, on their way to their home at Fort Smith, Ark.

A picture show in Waukegan, Wis., admits patrons for the admission fee of two potatoes. A person can give a line party with a loaf of wheat bread and can buy out the house with a dozen of eggs.—Kansas City Star.

LYMAN, A LEADING

MORMAN, IS DEAD

Salt Lake City, Nov. 18.—Francis M. Lyman, president of the quorum of the twelve apostles of the Mormon church, died early today from pneumonia.

Apostle Heber J. Grant automatically becomes president of the quorum of the twelve apostles.

HUMPHREYS'

Witch Hazel Oil